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Subject: 224186 – Crosswalk

Attachments:  Minister Todd Stone – MOTI – January 9, 2014.pdf / Uploaded File (643K)
 Minister Todd Stone – MOTI – July 30, 2013.pdf / Uploaded File (1.4M)
 224186 Previous Response (218852).pdf / Uploaded File (1.1M)

Betty Baxter, Board Chair
School District No. 46 (Sunshine Coast)

c/o ereimer@sd46.bc.ca

224186 – Crosswalk

Dear Betty Baxter:

Thank you for your e-mail of January 9, 2014, and attached letters, following up on my earlier correspondence regarding the Board's request for the ministry to establish a crosswalk at the corner of Gonzales and Madeira Park roads.

I recognize that this continues to be an important issue for the School District and the community, and I appreciate you sharing the letter of support from the Sunshine Coast Regional District.

Ministry staff are currently performing the technical review and analysis of this location, including the promised pedestrian and vehicle count, and we expect to have this work completed by mid-March. Should the results support a crosswalk, ministry staff will have the crosswalk painted and the accompanying signs installed in the summer, when weather conditions permit this kind of work.

The ministry remains committed to public safety, and we look forward to continuing to work with the Board in this regard. Ministry staff will follow-up with School District representatives once the review is complete to advise them of our findings.

In the meantime, should you have any further questions or wish to discuss this issue, please do not hesitate to contact the ministry's local Operations Manager, Graeme Schimpf. He can be reached at 604 527-2236 or by e-mail at Graeme.Schimpf@gov.bc.ca and would be pleased to assist you.

Thank you again for taking the time to write.

Sincerely,

Todd G. Stone
Minister